

TAILORING DEPARTMENT

D. CRAWFORD & CO.

Most of our Citizens are aware that in the New and Popular Tailoring Dep't THIS LIVE AND PROGRESSIVE FIRM

They discount all competition by from 25 to 75 per cent, Guaranteeing a Perfect Fit or No Sale! And thereby DOING ALREADY AN ENORMOUS BUSINESS! PUSH AND SHOVE BEING THE WATCHWORD OF THIS HOUSE, and to admit of NO DULL TIMES, which might be possible during the HOT WEATHER, they propose giving

A Discount of 10 Per Cent

FROM NOW UNTIL THE END OF THE SEASON on every item made up in their TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

No Discount on Early-Morning Prices!

Which will still be continued as follows, viz: A CHOICE of a dozen different styles of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC SUITINGS, MADE UP IN SUITS, if measure be taken BEFORE 12 m., at the nominal price of \$18.15; the afternoon and regular price is \$27.50. With the above new proposed discount of 10 per cent.

Note the POPULAR PRICES which now prevail in TAILORING DEPARTMENT, off which will now be given until the end of the season a discount of 10 per cent:

Fine All-wool Scotch Cheviots, D. C. & Co.'s own direct importation, \$27.50, \$30 and \$32.50 the suit; exclusive tailor's prices, \$40 to \$65 the suit. All-wool Cassimeres, the very latest styles and best American goods, in mixtures, checks and plaids, \$30, \$32.50 and \$35; prices in the exclusive tailor's stores, \$45 to \$75. Finest imported English Mixed Suitings, \$35, \$37.50, \$40 and \$45; prices in the exclusive merchant-tailor stores, \$50 to \$90 the suit. Imported Galashiels and Bannockburn Light-weight Tweeds, \$27.50, \$30 and \$35; same goods at the exclusive merchant tailors, \$40 to \$65 the suit. Magnificent imported English Worsteds, in blues and blacks, \$35, \$40, \$45 and \$50; exclusive merchant tailors' prices, \$50 to \$85 the suit. Finest Small Plaid English Suitings, \$35 and \$37.50; just pay double the price at the exclusive merchant tailor shops. Imported Navy Blue English Serge for Summer Suitings, \$27.50, \$30, \$35, \$40 and \$45, or just about 50 per cent below the exclusive merchant tailors' prices.

Remember, until the end of the season, 10 per cent off above prices.

THE POPULAR TAILORING DEPARTMENT OF THE GREAT WORLD'S MART OF

D. CRAWFORD & CO. BROADWAY AND FRANKLIN AVENUE.

SUMMER RESORTS.

LONG BRANCH West End Hotel. COTTAGES AND RESTAURANT. Will Open June 11; the Hotel June 23. New York Office, 52 Broadway.

CLARENDON HOTEL, Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Opens June 25. L. STEINFELD, Proprietor.

"Recked in the Cradle of the Deep." Try the pure air of the ocean 30 miles inland of New York, in the broad Atlantic. Superior accommodations for the summer season. Write for information. Enclose stamp. NEPTUNE HOTEL, Block Island, R. I.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

St. Louis City Bonds. The Merchants' National Bank will receive subscriptions to a limited amount of June 25, 1887. St. Louis city twenty-year gold revenue bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest.

JAMES E. YEATMAN, President.

ATTENTION, SALOON-KEEPERS!

A mass-meeting of saloon-keepers will be held on Tuesday, June 14, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Central Turner hall, in the Broadway building, to discuss ways and means in regard to the Sunday law now about going into effect. By order of the Executive Committee. F. HALL, Secretary.

St. Louis Ore and Steel Company.

The interest maturing July 1 on the bonds of this company will be paid at the office of the Treasurer, J. L. HARRIS, in the City of New York.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

HEADQUARTERS General Executive Committee on June 14, 1887. The following are hereby solicited for the manufacture of 500 medals, silver or copper, with pin bar and ribbon, for Delegates to Twenty-first National Encampment, G. A. R.

Also, 1,000 ribbon badges for committees, to be worn at the encampment. The design and specifications can be seen at the headquarters, where copies can also be had on application. Bids must be in writing and filed with the Secretary of this committee on or before 12 o'clock noon of Saturday, June 18.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive defects in bids. Proposals will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, July 2, 1887, for application and awarding of contracts for same, and window-shades for the City of St. Louis. Proposals should be addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, and entered in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, and entered in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, and entered in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury.

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HERZOG'S

FIFTY-ONE GREAT LEADERS!

With which on To-Morrow we will set our SUMMER CLEARING SALE

Into crazy motion. Study the contents of each one of these 51 Leaders with care and digestion. They begin with Leader Number 1, and follow one another in consecutive order, each succeeding one waxing more attractive, more fascinating, more intensifying, more money-saving to you. We expect to be half crazy by noon to-morrow, such will be the great rush!

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Leader No. 51. Last, but not least—You can select on to-morrow any one or more of our 500 Finest Parasols, costing from \$4.50 to \$7, at the uniform price of \$3.40 each. They are simply given away at that price.

L. HERZOG & BRO., 407 N. Fourth Street.

SAINT LOUIS CITY BONDS.

Subscriptions to a limited amount will be received at the following Banks, AT PAR, until June 25th, 1887, for St. Louis City 20-Year Gold Revenue Bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest. City Bonds maturing June 25th and July 1st, 1887, will be taken in exchange:

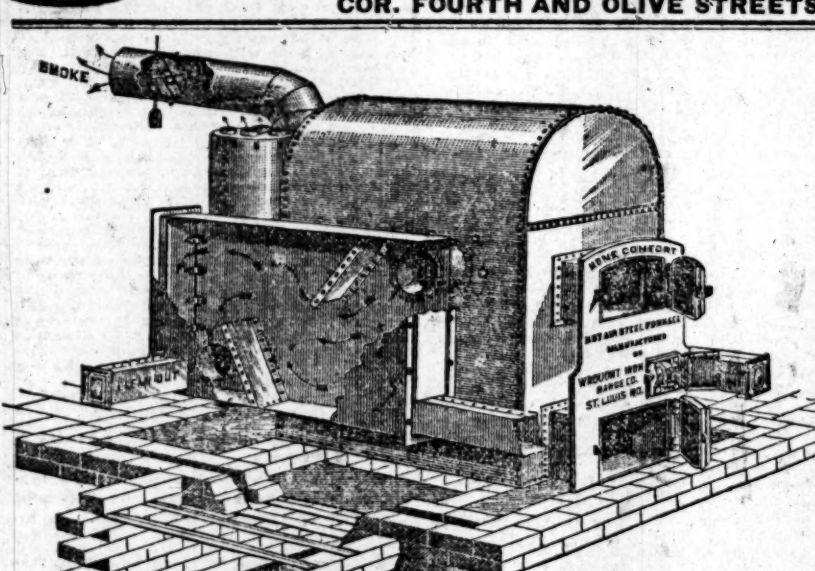
- GERMAN AMERICAN BANK, Corner Fourth and Franklin avenue.
- FRANKLIN BANK, Corner Fourth and Morgan streets.
- LACED BANK, Corner Third and Pine streets.
- STATE SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, Corner Third and Vine streets.
- MULLANBY SAVINGS BANK, Corner Cass avenue and Broadway.
- LAFAYETTE BANK, Corner Broadway and Merchant.
- CONTINENTAL BANK, Corner Fourth and Olive streets.

DO NOT GO TO THE RACES

Without One of Aloe's Celebrated Race-Course Field Glasses.

Protect your eyes from the dust by using Aloe's Eye-Protectors.

A. S. ALOE & CO. Practical and Scientific Opticians, COR. FOURTH AND OLIVE STREETS.



NEW HOME COMFORT FURNACE.

Wrought Iron Range Comp'y. The most perfect heater in the world. Made in every particular. Repairs cost from one-tenth to one-twentieth of cast-iron furnaces. Full line of HOME COMFORT RANGES.

ON AND AFTER JUNE 1ST,

OUR PRICE FOR DWINELL, HAYWARD & CO.'S Royal Java and Mocha Coffee

WILL BE \$1.25 Per Can of 3 Pounds

15 cents allowed when can is returned.

DELICATESSEN LUNCH ROOMS

WOOD CARPETS Inlaid Hard-wood Floors!

J. L. Isaacs Wall Paper Co., Excelsior Building, 1210 Olive St.

I CAN'T BREATHE.

Numbness, Lameness, Soreness, Stiffening, Cough, Difficulty Breathing, Asthma, Pleurisy and Inflammation of the Pleural Muscles instantly relieved and assuaged to a speedy cure by that new, original and infallible remedy to pain and inflammation, the Glycerine Anti-Pain Plaster. At drug stores, 25c. a box for \$1.00, or postage free, of Potter Drug and Chemical Co., Boston, Mass.

PROF. MATTHEWS' DYE WORKS.

No. 312 OLIVE STREET. Gentlemen's Clothing Cleaned, Altered and Repaired in best style. Charges Moderate. Respectfully Solicited.

LATEST EDITION

WAITING

For the Easterly Current to Waft the Balloon

Swiftly on Its Way Toward the Atlantic Ocean.

An Unprecedented Wind From the East

Holds the Mammoth Air-Ship in St. Louis.

Preparations Completed for the Voyage. The Basket Ready to Be Weighted Out. Bill of Fare for the Trip—Spring Chickens for the First Dinner—What the Car Will Contain—Prof. Hazen Carefully Reviews the Situation—No Ascent to-morrow.

H. ALLEN HAZEN, Jr. Prof. S. O.

The balloon will not go up to-day nor to-morrow. When Prof. Hazen fixed upon to-day for the ascent he expressly stated that the day on conditions not fully developed on Saturday. Monday afternoon was announced as a probable day of ascent on this conditional prediction. If a study of further reports from Signal Service stations should induce Prof. Hazen to change his mind it was announced in Saturday's POST-DISPATCH that the change of time would be advertised in all the Monday morning papers. In accordance with that arrangement there appeared in every paper published in the city this morning the following:

RAILROAD! The World and Post-Dispatch Balloon WILL NOT ASCEND TO-DAY. Due Announcement of the Association Will be Made in the POST-DISPATCH.

It was printed in a conspicuous place on the first page of every paper, and yet there is such a large constituency in the city that the morning papers do not reach that the telephones in the Post-Dispatch counting and editorial rooms were in constant demand by persons in all parts of the city, who wished to know if the balloon would go up to-day. The tickets have all been distributed, yet the calls continue to come in from all grades of people for tickets.

Prof. Hazen suggests to those who were fortunate enough to obtain tickets before the supply was exhausted that they watch the clouds. When they see the clouds being driven continuously toward the East go to the Post-Dispatch office and read the bulletin. Nine chances out of ten they will find the ascent announced for some time within twenty-four hours. That is what he is waiting for—a wind blowing toward the East with sufficient permanence and velocity to take the balloon on its long journey toward the Atlantic. This ascent is not to be made to demonstrate the existence of a permanent eastern current, for meteorologists have established the fact that when the winds are to the East there is an easterly current. In order to find this current the balloon must wait until the conditions are so changed that it exists.

The amount of sunshine has practically nothing to do with the conditions of the weather, which are favorable or unfavorable to the ascent. A shower might be falling at the time, but that would not delay the ascent. The wind to the East is the factor now missing, and glorious as the weather is to-day, that factor prevents the ascent.

The following card from Prof. Hazen gives a careful review of the situation:

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER, ST. LOUIS, 1:30 p. m., June 13, 1887.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: There is no favorable prospect of a favorable upper and lower current for to-morrow. It probably will be understood by most of your readers that the reason for the delay is the lack of a current, either upper or surface wind, toward the east. St. Louis for ninety-six hours has been in such a position, with a marked high area of pressure directly east, that all air currents have steadily, though not rapidly, moved toward the west.

If the present conditions continue there is no reason why this high area should not gradually move off the Atlantic or lose its intensity. All calculations of the velocity of motion of this high area or of its behavior are liable to be changed by other conditions taking place in the Gulf of Mexico and Canada beyond our telegraph instruments. Since midnight another high area seems to have worked down from Canada or else the one spoken of Saturday as well upon the Atlantic has backed.

The high on the S. M. observation this morning in the central over Ontario and as usual all currents are from some easterly direction or just now, 1:30 p. m., gradually veering to the south. The low area, central west of the Rocky Mountains yesterday, has taken a direction toward the northeast. The low area in the western part of the Gulf of Mexico seems to be developing, wind as Galveston, southeast, 25 miles per hour. At Ft. Buford it was east 15 miles per hour. If the high area moves off the storm in that it will advance to this city, and we shall have very brisk winds and the long-looked-for current toward the east.

It is not safe to predict currents at this time of the year for a station so near the Rocky Mountains as St. Louis, but at present appearances it would seem that the high area will put back the Gulf storm just long enough to allow its trajectory to pass over this city.

To all who are interested it is advised that an eye be kept on the sky. Whenever the clouds are seen to be fairly moving east a visit to the Post-Dispatch office will probably show a bulletin stating that the balloon will rise in less than twenty-four hours.

So much interest has been aroused in the movements of currents and in the delay in the ascension that a special study has been made of the records at this station for the past sixteen years. To-night at midnight St. Louis will have experienced an almost uninterrupted wind from the east, and also upper currents from the same or slightly more southerly direction for ninety-six hours. In these sixteen years, in June, the wind has blown steadily from some easterly points 40 hours or more 27 times. There were three periods in each, of which it blew 104, 96 and 88 hours; four times it blew 80 hours. In no one of these instances were the upper currents at all steady from the east, but blew from all points. A computation of all the wind directions for June (1,370 of them) show the mean direction to have been from south 43 deg. 55 min. west, or almost the southwest. It will be a matter of great interest to compare the twenty-seven instances above mentioned with the directions of the currents at other stations in this country and with the meteorological elements then existing which could produce so steady a blow in an easterly direction. It is probably understood by this time that the average direction of the upper currents in this latitude is toward the east, and according to Prof. Ferrel's computation the average velocity is twenty-six miles per hour. Whenever a low area is east of a place and a high area to the west this average velocity is very much augmented and may be even doubled. The public may rest well assured that no one can be more desirous of making this ascension to explore the atmospheric ocean than those most immediately concerned.

H. ALLEN HAZEN, Jr. Prof. S. O.

PREPARED TO GO.

Arrangements Made by the Members of the Party—Contents of the Basket.

Everything is in readiness for the WORLD and POST-DISPATCH balloon except the weather. The mammoth balloon is still shifting about Armory Hall like a lazy leviathan, under the constant protection of a watchman, placed there to guard it from injury at the hands of the curious helpers employed about it. The members of the expedition are now awaiting the command of Prof. Hazen, the United States Signal Service officer, who will direct the voyage.

Photographer John P. Doughty has made the preparations for accomplishing his part successfully. At a local house he has had over fifty delicate photographic plates prepared. These will be stored in a specially prepared holder, conducted to guard against the disasters of a sudden descent. Doughty has also been constructed with sufficient care to the point of combustion will serve to conduct the gas to the flame. The expansion at a height of 10,000 feet will be sufficient to cause the small bulb which at any considerable height would be subjected to a great test by reason of the high temperature on the inside, thereby exposing the spark to the heat of the gas, which would be in contact with the gas discharged from the neck of the balloon on account of the expansion. To avoid any such chance of accident Mr. Doughty has enclosed these lamps within small glass jars, through which any accident to the lamp could be immediately seen, while the outer glass covering would protect the spark in case the small bulb was broken. Prof. Hazen, who is familiar with the use of safety lamps, expected to take one of these with him for the purpose of adjusting the lamp during the night, but Mr. Moore, the aeronaut, has declined to do so, as he has been constructed with sufficient care to the point of combustion will serve to conduct the gas to the flame. The expansion at a height of 10,000 feet will be sufficient to cause the small bulb which at any considerable height would be subjected to a great test by reason of the high temperature on the inside, thereby exposing the spark to the heat of the gas, which would be in contact with the gas discharged from the neck of the balloon on account of the expansion. 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JUDGE BITTENHOUSE ON LOVE.

His Remarkable Decision in a Divorce Case in Which Pugilist Mitchell Was Interested.

From the Denver Tribune.

The suit of Andrew Meldrum against Mary Meldrum was brought for the reconveyance of property which Meldrum had given to his wife, as they were divorced. Mary Meldrum was formerly Mary, or Polly, Bond, as she was called, a bright, intelligent girl who resided on her father's, Joseph Bond's, ranch at Delta.

The suit of Andrew Meldrum against Mary Meldrum.

When Mary was only 15 years old her parents, who were English people, received and entertained at the ranch Charley Mitchell, the famous English prize-fighter, who seemed to take such a fancy to Mary as a man often takes to a child, and always addressed her as "my little girl." When Mitchell left for England he asked Mr. Bond if Mary might correspond with him. Mr. Bond, who liked Mitchell very much,

father's, Joseph Bond's, ranch at Delta. When Mary was only 15 years old her

associated with this, and Mitchell and Polly, as he called her, engaged in a friendly correspondence for some weeks, when Polly took girlish offense at something, and the correspondence was abruptly brought to an end.

Then came Andrew Meldrum, a miner from the San Juan, and made violent love to little Polly, who, it is said, promised at length to become his wife, at the earnest solicitations of her parents. When Meldrum was married he had just sold his in-

terest in the Yankee Girl mine for a handsome sum, and prospects were good for

terest in the Yankee Girl mine for a handsome sum, and prospects were good for his disposing of his stock in the Guston at even a better figure. So he took little Polly East, promised her a diamond necklace which she took a fancy to in Pittsburg, and otherwise conducted himself in a way indicative of a man who is possessed by the rosy little god Cupid. When the twain returned to Colorado Meldrum desired Polly to buy herself a handsome

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Suddenly Polly got an idea of locating in California. She went there, and accidentally met Charley Mitchell in that State. She also met her friend, Nettie Goldsmith, formerly of Leadville, there, and the two planned a girlish escapade by which Polly put aside her wedding-ring and masqueraded to Mitchell as Polly Bond. Later Polly decided that she did

not want to live in California, and when she came home to Delta she confessed to

not want to live in California, and when she came home to Delta she confessed to Meldrum the joke she had played upon Mitchell, begging his pardon for the same.

From that time on Meldrum, it is said, grew absurdly jealous, and never lost an opportunity of taunting Polly with her regard for Mitchell. This finally so exasperated his wife that she applied for a divorce. Meldrum agreed upon such a separation, and in that conversation Mary

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claims that she agreed to reconvey to him the Delta property, which he had given her soon after their marriage. In the meantime she went away, and Meldrum got the divorce himself. Mrs. Meldrum claims that she fully intended carrying out her part of the contract, but that in her absence Meldrum filed a cross bill for the reconveyance of this property. She would have preferred to keep the Capitol Hill property and to have reconveyed to him the Delta property.

with the fallen at Delta. Meldrum claims that Polly had been too intimate with Mitchell before she met her demise, and

Polly claims that her friendship for Mitchell was always of the most ordinary kind, and that when she saw him again on her return from California it was at the Tabor Opera House, where Meldrum had taken her to see a minstrel troupe

with whom Mitchell was posing as the dying gladiator and similar characters.

The opinion of the court is as follows:
 "These parties, the plaintiff and defendant, were married on December 3, I believe, 1884, after the usual season of courtship, and on October 3, 1886, that being the birthday of defendant, this first conveyance in controversy was made, and a few months thereafter the second conveyance, that being, I think, the 16th

day of February, 1886; and this suit is brought to set aside both these convey-

lay of February, 1886; and this suit is brought to set aside both these conveyances upon the ground of their being obtained by fraud of the defendant on the plaintiff, they being conveyances without what is known in law as reliable consideration, but a 'good' consideration if no fraud exists.

"The Court is satisfied from the evidence that at the time of his marriage, and before and afterwards, the plaintiff was deeply in love with the defendant to

as deeply in love with the defendant to that extent which with men is infatuation almost; and the Court is further satisfied

that extent which with men is infatuation almost; and the Court is further satisfied that at the time, and before and afterwards, the defendant did not at any time love the plaintiff, and that in one sense of the word the marriage on her part was for a mercenary motive; that is, in one sense she married him for his money.

"Where a woman thus marries a man for his money—and I mean by that, he being rich, wealthy, prosperous, will fur-

wish her a good home, and she will play upon him to have him expend money

lish her a good home, and she will play upon him to have him expend money on her in their home and surround her with luxury and comfort, although she has no affection for him, but if she intends to remain his wife and to spend her life with him the Court cannot say that that is fraud, because it is apparent to the Court that many of the marriages in this age and time are just like that. So, if people, although they have that mer-

conduct is unexceptionable, no court will set

primary idea, remain pure, and their conduct is unexceptionable, no court will set aside a conveyance from the husband to the wife because the wife does not love her husband or because the husband does not love the wife. Courts of equity cannot measure this mysterious thing called love and affection—can't determine where the standard is that will support or defeat a conveyance. It is beyond the domains of the courts of law or equity. So that so long as this defendant intended and pur-

posed to continue to be the wife of the plaintiff and to live with him at his home.

osed to continue to be the wife of the plaintiff and to live with him at his home or her house, and to make her conduct to him and the world that of a respectable wife, the Court can find no fault with her, although it believes there was an entire absence of affection on her part.

"It appears to the Court that she married him without love, believing that he was wealthy and would furnish her a good home, surround her with comfort

nd luxury, and that her purpose was to
make the best of it, although it was bar-

and luxury, and that her purpose was to make the best of it, although it was barren to her heart, and that condition and frame of mind continued up to and at the time of this first conveyance, and that the first conveyance made on the 3d day of October, 1884, as a birthday present, was voluntary deed of gift by this man in consideration of love and affection, or rather moved by love and affection toward his wife, and the present being that his solicitation.

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"That she may solicit such things I think there can be no controversy. After solicitation, and moved by his love and affection for her, he made her this voluntary deed of gift for the ranch in Delta. And the Court cannot say that there was any fraud used.

"The evidence satisfied the Court that after that time this feeling which is described by the defendant herself as love and affection, but which the Court cannot

ay was love and affection, but only toleration—simply toleration of the pres-

ay was love and affection, but only toleration—simply toleration of the presence of this man in view of the fact that he was her husband—that this feeling had been undergoing perhaps prior to the time, somewhat of a change, the feeling of toleration growing into gradual indifference to him and his interests, and this growing in degrees until it passed the line of indifference and became dislike, and opened from that into antipathy and dis-

ust and despair; and that she reached a point where hate became the dominant

"As a mere moral matter the Court does

